INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1999 - 0530 MST NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL I

#### CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack activity was moderate in the Eastern and Southern Areas. New large fire activity was reported in the Southern Area. Good progress was made on the large fires in the Great Basin and the Northwest. The National Interagency Coordination Center processed orders for airtankers, a lead plane, radio equipment, crews, and miscellaneous overhead. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in California, Idaho, Utah, Wyoming, Arizona, Colorado, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, and Virginia.

#### NORTHWEST LARGE FIRES:

DEGARMO, Sheldon-Hart National Wildlife Refuge, Fish and Wildlife Service. This fire is located 40 miles northeast of Lakeview, OR. Good progress was reported on the fire due to more favorable conditions. Helicopter support and a Type I handcrew assisted in meeting suppression objectives.

INCIDENT NAME	ST UNIT  	SIZE   %    CTN		TOTAL	!					\$\$\$  C-T-D
DEGARMO	OR SHR	3000  90	11/9	43	1	5	1	0	50	100K

### EASTERN GREAT BASIN LARGE FIRES:

DENNY CREEK, Payette National Forest. This fire is located nine miles south of Riggins, Idaho. The fire is burning in timber, sagebrush, and grass. Current threats are to cattle allotments, timber, and wildlife winter rangelands. Moderate fire activity was reported yesterday.

INCIDENT NAME	ST UNIT  	SIZE   %    CTN		TOTAL						
DENNY CREEK	ID  PAF	510  30	UNK	177	8	8	1	0	NR	75K

## WESTERN GREAT BASIN LARGE FIRES:

SIGNBOARD, Elko Field Office, BLM. A Type II Incident Management Team (Vorce) is assigned. The fire is located 30 miles southeast of Jackpot, NV. Cooler temperatures and precipitation allowed resources to make significant progress towards containment. Observed fire behavior was limited to occasional torching of single trees.

TROUT CREEK II, Elko Field Office, BLM. This fire is located 30 miles

east of Jackpot, NV and is burning in grass, juniper, and sage. Containment was expected for last night. No other information was received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST UNIT  	SIZE   %    CTN	:	TOTAL	CRW	ENG				\$\$\$  C-T-D
SIGNBOARD TROUT CREEK II	NV  EKD   NV  EKD	4160  90  3187 UNK	11/9 11/8		!	6   6	2	0	!	350K NR

### SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME		SIZE   %    CTN								
ALAN REED	TX TXS	500 100		22	0	2	0	0	NR	NR

#### OUTLOOK:

\*\*\* A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED FOR SOUTHERN ILLINOIS AND SOUTHERN MISSOURI FOR GUSTY WINDS AND LOW RELATIVE HUMIDITIES \*\*\*

Near record temperatures are expected in Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and Illinois today. Partly cloudy skies with temperatures ranging from 70 to 80 degrees. Minimum relative humidities should be 20 to 30 percent in Kentucky with 35 to 50 percent elsewhere in the area.

Idaho, Utah, Colorado and Wyoming will be partly cloudy with a chance of morning rain and snow showers. Highs in the 50's and 60's in the valleys and in the 40's and 50's in the mountains. Winds will be variable 10 to 25 MPH with minimum relative humidities expected to be from 25 to 50 percent.

California will be mostly cloudy in the north with a chance of light rain along the northern coast and Sierra Nevada range. Highs will be in the 40's and 50's in the mountains and 60's and 70's in the valleys. Southern California will be mostly sunny with locally breezy conditions in the canyons and mountain passes. High temperatures will be in the 50's and 60's in the mountains and near 80's in the deserts.

### FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL	
			 	 	 	 		 . – – – – – -	
ALASKA	FIRES								0

	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						11	11
CA-SOUTH	FIRES					14		14
	ACRES					28		28
NORTHERN	FIRES	2						2
	ACRES	3						3
GB-EAST	FIRES		32			5		37
	ACRES		303			1091		1394
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES						4	4
	ACRES						12	12
ROCKY MTN	FIRES					2	2	4
	ACRES					0	2	2
EASTERN	FIRES	12				46	1	59
	ACRES	8				302	10	320
SOUTHERN	FIRES				1	216	4	221
	ACRES				1	3180	150	3331
TOTAL	FIRES	14	32	0	1	283	11	341
	ACRES	11	303	0	1	4601	185	5101

# FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA	l	BIA	   BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	  FIRES	1	   42	31	13	   395	0	482
	ACRES	1	301525	285194	155932	277788	0	1020440
NORTHWEST	FIRES	380	449	19	62	1994	1561	4465
	ACRES	19527	35001	47617	24	14318	9217	125704
CA-NORTH	FIRES	152	57	7	29	3399	1158	4802
	ACRES	218	24710	33	131	133757	318574	477423
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	82	167	10	62	3406	1055	4782
	ACRES	1697	6998	92	13962	50306	185148	258203
NORTHERN	FIRE	583	69	25	13	894	1371	2955
	ACRES	12080	7105	189	5	97453	76652	193484
GB-EAST	FIRES	68	874		29	413	798	2182
	ACRES	9405	484222		60	43234	10201	547122
GB-WEST	FIRES	35	758	3	6	74	237	1113
	ACRES	955	1528164	116	4	162438	15564	1707241
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	816	148	10	61	784	1574	3393
	ACRES	13107	27694	245	421	69524	13604	124595
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	653	460	39	51	1680	338	3221
	ACRES	9591	16048	907	77	66874	5748	99245
EASTERN	FIRES	564			98	15810	450	16922
	ACRES	2979			1009	105577	5616	115181
SOUTHERN	FIRES	37		76	119	39621	1252	41105
	ACRES	685		21677	11925	696343	49673	780303
TOTALS	FIRES	3371	3024	220	543	68470	9794	85422
	ACRES	70245	2431467	356070	183550	1717612	689997	5448941

# PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES		 	 		 	 	0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES						7	7
	ACRES						455	455
CA-SOUTH	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						33	33
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES					1	1	2
	ACRES					5	2	7
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						475	475
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						23	23
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	10	11
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	5	988	993

WILDLAND FIRE USE (WFU) FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	   BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES		 	 	 	 	 	0
	ACRES		İ	İ	İ	İ		0
NORTHWEST	FIRES		İ		ĺ			0
	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES		ĺ					0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0

	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
USA TOTALS	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fires and acres reported to the National Interagency Coordination Center are for operational use. Official totals may be obtained by contacting the Agencies directly.

RESOURCE STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES

Area	Crews	Crews			Heli	Heli	Airt	Airt		Ovrhd
	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST	1	ĺ	7	ĺ		1		ĺ	10	ĺ
CA-NORTH	4	12	7	ĺ	1	ĺ		ĺ	143	48
CA-SOUTH	2		2	1	4				3	1
NORTHERN	1		17	11					5	
GB-EAST	2	6	17	4	2	1			50	128
GB-WEST		1	2						1	1
SOUTHWEST									2	
ROCKY MTN			1							
EASTERN										
SOUTHERN			1						7	1
TOTAL	10	19	54	16	7	2	0	0	221	179

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